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In re Application of	:	
Todd Alan Balisky	:	
Application No. 09/674,635	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Filed: November 1, 2000	:	
Attorney Docket No. MPI-106107-0	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 10, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply timely to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on June 29, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on September 22, 2005.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). Petitioner submitted the required reply in the form of an amendment, paid the petition fee, and made the proper statement of unintentional delay. Accordingly, the petition is **granted**.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 1764.

Any inquiries concerning this decision may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3211. All other inquiries concerning either the examination procedures or status of the application should be directed to the Technology Center.

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